

# The souls of the righteous

Wisdom of Solomon 3:1-8

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Soprano II

*Larghetto quasi andante*

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The souls of the

S1

10

The souls of the right- eous are

S2

right- eous are in the hand of God,

S1

15

in the hand of God, and there shall no tor-ment touch them, there

S2

and there shall no tor-ment touch them, there

S1

shall\_ no\_\_ tor-ment touch them, there shall no\_\_ tor-\_\_\_\_\_ ment\_

S2

shall\_ no\_\_ tor-ment touch them, no tor-\_\_\_\_\_ ment\_

S1

touch\_\_\_\_\_ them. The souls\_\_ of the right-eous are

S2

touch\_\_\_\_\_ them. The souls\_\_ of the right-eous are

S1

in the hand of God,\_ are\_\_\_\_\_ in the hand\_ of\_ God,\_

S2

in the hand of God,\_ are\_\_\_\_\_ in the hand\_ of\_ God,\_ and there shall no\_\_

S1 35

There shall no\_\_ tor-\_\_ ment\_\_

S2

tor-\_\_ ment, no tor-\_\_ ment\_\_

S1 40

touch\_\_ them, there\_\_ shall\_\_ no\_\_ tor-\_\_ ment touch\_\_

S2

touch\_\_ them, there\_\_ shall\_\_ no\_\_ tor-\_\_ ment touch\_\_

S1 45 *Solo* 50

them.

S2

them.

S1 55

In the sight of the un - wise they seem\_\_ to die, and their\_\_ de -

S1 60

part\_\_ ure is ta\_\_ ken for mi-se-ry, their de - par - ture is\_\_ ta - ken for\_\_

S1 65 70

mi\_\_ se-ry, *p* but they\_\_ are in\_\_ peace, they are in\_\_ peace,\_\_

S1 75

they are in\_\_ peace, *cresc.* *dim.* *mf* In the sight of the un - wise\_\_ they\_\_ seem\_\_ to\_\_

S1 80

die,\_\_ and their de - part\_\_ ture is ta - ken for\_\_ mi-se-ry, but

85 90

S1 they are in peace, they are in peace, they are in peace.

95 *Recit.*

S1 For though they be pu-ni-shed in the sight of

*Targo* = 68

S1 men, yet is their hope full of im-mor-ta-li-ty, yet is their hope full of im-mor-

S2 Yet is their hope full of im-mor-ta-li-ty, yet is their hope full of im-mor-

100

S1 ta-li-ty. For God hath prov'd them, and found them wor-thy of him-self;

S2 ta-li-ty. For God hath

105 *Vivace*

S1 for God hath found them\_\_\_ wor-thy of him - self. And in the day of vi - si -

S2 prov'd them, and found them\_\_\_ wor-thy of him-self. And in the

S1 ta-tion they\_\_\_ shall shine. They shall judge,\_\_\_ shall judge\_\_\_ the

S2 day of vi - si - ta-tion\_ they shall shine. They shall judge,\_\_\_ shall judge\_\_\_ the

110 *Slow*

S1 na- tions, and have do - mi - nion, and have do - mi- nion\_ o- ver the peo- ple.

S2 na- tions, and have do - mi - nion, and have do - mi- nion\_ o-ver the peo- ple.